PERSONAL

Miss Blanche Znamierowski of Lowell Junction rd. spent several days at West Yarmouth, Cape Cod, last week.

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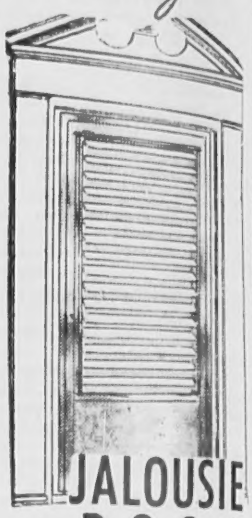

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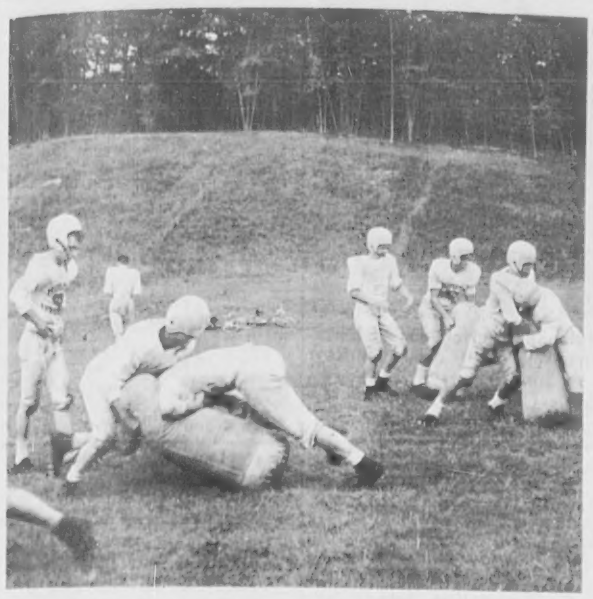

THE WORST DAY — Candidates for the football team worked out Tuesday morning, while most townspeople were complaining about the oppressive humidity and heat. "There isn't a football player alive who hasn't suffered the first day out", coach Dick Collins told the boys, but this probably was small comfort during the hot workout. The first game is Sept. 26 at the Playstead, with powerful Swampscott. (Staff Photo)

RR Offers No Relief For Crossing; Officials Think Tracks Dangerous

The Boston and Maine Railroad has put off remedial construction at the Essex st. crossing "until sufficient labor forces become available".

Town Manager Thomas E. Duff, expressing some doubt as to what the statement means, suggested this week that the railroad should pave and otherwise repair the crossing to avert serious consequences to motorists.

He had written the railroad in July, asking that some work be done on the crossing. But a letter from the public utility at that time stated that a gas line would be repaired under the tracks. Thus, the first B & M letter said, work on repairing the tracks should wait until the gas line construction was finished.

Duff again wrote to the railroad, late in August, suggesting that the installation of the gas main was finished as far as it would have an affect on the tracks.

In reply, J. J. Winn, division engineer, said any repair work at the crossing should be put off "until sufficient labor forces are available". No specific date for this was suggested, nor was there any indication in the letter that the work will be done at any time.

The original letter from Mr. Duff called the railroad's attention to a near-accident, when a car became wedged in the tracks as it turned off Pearson st. The fire department pulled the vehicle loose and off the tracks.

The railroad has claimed that the car went off the paved way, and that its being stuck in the tracks was not the result of the condition of the crossing.

Noting this week that the railroad has been cutting back, according to published reports, Mr. Duff asserted:

"We don't want them to cut back to the detriment of the safety of the people using the crossing. He then cited the constant use of the crossing by all types of vehicles, at all times of the day and night.

He agreed, however, that there doesn't seem to be much more that can be done to get repairs made, unless the railroad responds to the town's request or to public opinion.

Registrations Scheduled Before School Opens

Student registrations were in full swing in the public schools this week, in preparation for the opening of school next Wednesday morning.

All the public schools scheduled registration days, with officials hoping to handle the administrative work for new students ahead of the normal first-day rush.

In the elementary schools, the following schedule has been established for registrations for all those new students who have not yet taken this step:

Central — last day today, from 10-noon and 1-3 p.m.

West — today and Friday, 9-12 noon.

Shawsheen — Friday, from 9-12.

South — today and Friday, 9-12 noon.

The High School office will be open each day until the opening of school for all students who took summer work and those with incompleted programs, as well as for the new students who have not registered at all.

At the Junior High, registration will take place today from 9-11 and all day next Tuesday, Sept. 8. Those unable to register either of these days will have to wait until the close of school Wednesday, according to the principal, Benjamin Dimlich.

Opening Day

When the anticipated 3,346 youngsters trek back to school next Wednesday, those who ride the buses will find the schedules as they were at the close of school in June.

Supt. of Schools Edward I. Erickson has announced that schedules will hold until a trial period of 10 days has passed,

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32 New Faces In Classrooms

Thirty-two new teachers will confront youngsters in the public schools Sept. 9-11 of them occupying posts that did not exist last year and the remainder entering the system as replacements.

In an interesting breakdown of age and experience, Dr. John P. Gainey, assistant to the superintendent of schools, points out that the average age of the new high school teachers is 30.5, with an average of 3.7 years of experience. The average salary in this group will be approximately $4,700.

The new junior high teachers are somewhat younger, with the average age set at 30.8 years. These teachers have an experience average of 2.55 years and will receive about $4,300 on the average.

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3 Hearings Tonight By Appeal Board

Three public hearings are scheduled tonight by the Appeals Board, which meets in the hearing room on the second floor of the town hall.

The following requests for variances will be heard:

James Cunningham, seeking less than the allowed frontage on a house lot on Shawsheen rd.; Westport Realty Trust, variance to allow a sub-division on School st.; and Benjamin Dargoonian, sub-divide two lots on Blanchard st., with one lot having less frontage than required by the by-law.

The Appeal Board meets once monthly, on the first Thursday, to hear applicants.

After hearing the proponents and opponents of any request, the Board views the site and then

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60 Years Together

MR. AND MRS. JOHN E. LOWE

Mr. and Mrs. John E. Lowe, 13 Chestnut ct., celebrated their 60th wedding anniversary Sunday with a family party.

The couple was married in Lawrence Aug. 30, 1899 and have lived in the area ever since.

Until his retirement 12 years ago, Mr. Lowe was employed by the Lawrence Gas and Electric Co. for 26 years. He is a Mason and an officer of the Loyal Order of Moose.

Mrs. Lowe is a member of the Order of the Eastern Star. Mr. and Mrs. Lowe hold membership in the First Calvary Baptist Church, Lawrence.

The couple has six children: Violet M. Lane of Lincoln, N.H.; Maud H. Thomas of Bergenfield, N.J.; Mildred Ash of Methuen; Albert Lowe of Pasadena, Cal.; John C. Lowe and Dorothy Santuccio, both of Andover. The

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PERSONALS

Captain and Mrs. Leslie R. Hadley and family have returned to their home in Pennsylvania after visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Leslie L. Hadley of Chester st., Ballardvale. Captain Hadley is stationed at Maguire Air Force Base in New Jersey.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Madden and family of Dale st. have returned from a month's stay at Salisbury Beach.

Karl Perkins of Florida was a recent guest of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Orlando of Dale st.

Miss Valorie Gardner of Tewksbury st. has returned after spending the summer at Camp Sargent, Nashua, N. H.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Stowers have returned to their home on Beech cir. after an enjoyable two weeks' camping trip spent at Dolly Copps' Camp, Gorham, Me.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Anmahian of Philadelphia, Pa. are enjoying a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Amos Ozoonian of Osgood rd.

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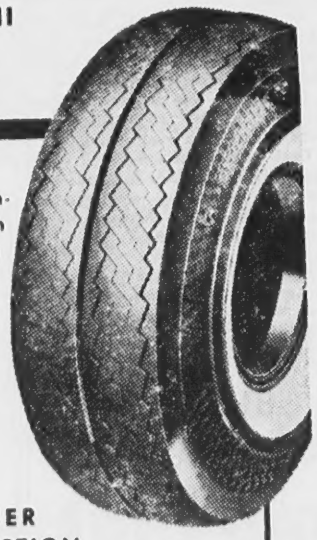

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Receiving a cash award for outstanding performance of his duties as a civilian employee at the Air Force Cambridge Research Center, Bedford, is William A. Suter (right) of McKenny cir. Making the award presentation is Col. Joe G. Gillespie, commander of the 6520th Test Group (Support). Mr. Suter was cited for his "industry, initiative and unselfish devotion to duty" in the aircraft maintenance division over an extended period of time. (Air Force Photo)

Winter Salt Cost Down

A saving in the cost of salt for winter use by the highway department, and in the man hours used in getting it into the trucks, is being effected.

Town Manager Thomas E. Duff explained that two sheds at the town yard are being put in condition to store at least two car loads of salt – 100 tons – which is about half the normal winter's supply. This will be loaded in bulk onto the trucks when it is needed.

He said the town previously had purchased salt in bags, which were then opened individually on the trucks.

Practical Arts Classes Coming

Free evening classes for Andover residents, in tailoring, advanced and beginners clothing, rug braiding and furniture refinishing, will be offered this year in the Andover Evening Practical Arts Classes.

Registration for the classes will be held Sept. 14, from 7-8:30, in the Junior High School, according to the director, Owen Hinckley.

Classes start Sept. 21, on a once-a-week basis, lasting from 7-10 p.m. for 10 weeks.

Tailoring will be offered Mondays or Wednesdays. The other classes will be held Monday, Wednesday or Friday.

Gather Data To Support Request

All available data is being gathered by town officials to support the claim that High Plain rd. should remain in its entirety, instead of being cut off by Route 110. Information is also being gathered to support the belief that McKenney cir. must not be isolated from the rest of the town by the route.

As soon as the material is in hand, town officials will ask the state to consider changing tentative plans for this federally-supported route, to keep the two areas open for traffic.

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Holding the barrel and receiver group, one of three that make up the Marine Corps basic weapon, the M-1 rifle, is Joseph P. Pellegrino, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph P. Pellegrino, 9 Sherbourne st. He is a member of the Naval Reserve Officer Training Corps Unit at Harvard University.

He reported to Marine Corps Schools, Quantico, Va., this summer for six weeks of summer training during which he will learned the complete nomenclature of the M-1 and all small arms employed by the Marines in combat.

Expanded Program Planned By Y.W.C.A.

As a member agency of the United Fund of Greater Lawrence, the Y.W.C.A. has been able in the past year to broaden its program and set up educational and recreational classes in the surrounding communities. The Andover Program, which was instituted last spring, was the beginning of a more expanded program to be offered this fall.

A committee of Andover women has met often to discuss the needs of women in the community and has planned a program of homemaking skills, creative arts and recreation. At the time of registration for these classes, the door is also open to the varied program at the Lawrence Y.W.C.A. with its clubs, trip programs and different schedule of classes.

Y.W.C.A. day in Andover will again be Thursday and the program will be held in the mornings in the Andover Youth Center when the youth program is not in session. A Kiddie Park for pre-school children will be held at the same time so that children may play with their contemporaries under experienced supervision, while the mothers are free to participate in classes of their choice.

Mrs. Ralph Hill is chairman of the committee which has worked hard to set up this program for Andover women. Her committee includes Mrs. Harry Axelrod, Mrs. Roscoe Dake, Mrs. Robert Hatton, Mrs. Edward Johnston, Mrs. Gordon Lauder, Mrs. Joseph Sapienza, Mrs. Reagh Wetmore, Mrs. Charles McCullom and Mrs. William Emmons.

BOWMAN REPORTED FOR PRACTICE

Charles Bowman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Bowman, 67 Chestnut st., is one of three fullbacks who reported to the first Norwich University practice session this week. Some 40 candidates turned out for the session. Bowman is a letterman.

List Homeroom Assignments For High School Classes

The High School has announced its homeroom assignments for the school year, which begins Sept. 9.

Alphabetical groupings have been arranged for each class, in the following schedule:

Seniors, "A" through "Ch" inclusive, room seven with Mr. Kellmurray; "Cl" through "Fi", room eight, Miss Grover; "Fo" through "Ka", room 11, Mr. Zorn; "Ke" through "Me", room 18, Miss Stevens; "Mi" through "Si", room 22, Miss Smith; and "Si" through "Z", room 24, Miss Hawkesworth.

Juniors will have the following homerooms: "A" through "Bre", room 2, Miss Dugan; "Bro" through "DiP", room 4, Mrs. O'Dowd; "Dis" through "Har", room 6, Mr. Collins; "Haw" through "McG", room 10, Mrs. Hardy; "McL" through "Pero", biology room, Mr. Hopkins; "Perr" through "Si", room 12, Mrs. Hatch; "Sm" through "Z", room 13, Mr. Robinson.

Sophomore assignments are: "A" through "Cal", room 14, Mrs. Perry; "Car" through "Fi", room 15, Mr. Hixon; "Fl" through "Kil", room 16, Miss Trowbridge; "Kin" through "Morg", room 19, Mrs. McAninch; "Morr" through "Se", room 20, Mrs. Hannigen; "Sh" through "Z", room 21, Mrs. Simeone.

5 - Year Old Is Lucky Youngster

Little Barry Schubert is a lucky youngster.

Doctors at the Lawrence General Hospital found nothing seriously wrong with the five-year-old Sunday morning, after he fell out of his father's car and rolled underneath it following an accident at the corner of Chestnut and Main sts.

The Schubert vehicle was driven by Arthur C. Schubert, 24 Arthur st., Methuen. Investigating officer William Tammany said the car was going east on Chestnut, with the traffic control light on green.

A car driven by Franklyn V. Amiriault, 164 West Wyoming st., Melrose, heading north on Main st., slammed into the Schubert car and spun it around. The lad was tossed out by the impact, police reports stated. Police said the Amiriault vehicle proceeded through a red light.

Taken to the Lawrence General Hospital by Patrolman Calvin Deyermond, the youngster had only bruises and abrasions, it was reported.

Police investigation is continuing this week.

PERSONAL

Mrs. George Brown, 242 Andover st., Ballardvale, is a surgical patient at the Lawrence General Hospital.

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This sixth annual Mutt Show is open to any pet owner, with one restriction – no racing greyhounds are eligible. Boys, girls and adults entering dogs will be admitted free, but must be at the main gate by 12:30 p.m. Sunday. The show starts at 1:30 p.m. Entry blanks are available at the Fair grounds and will be mailed upon request.

2 WILL REPORT AT WELLESLEY COLLEGE

Two students from Andover, Miss Lauri Lee Smith and Miss Susan Wholey, will be among the freshmen at Wellesley College, who will arrive on the campus in Wellesley, Mass., in time for the beginning of Freshman Week activities Monday, Sept. 21.

Miss Smith is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Byron H. Smith, 20 Johnson rd. Miss Wholey's parents are Mr. and Mrs. William R. Wholey, 140 Main st. Both students are graduates of Abbot Academy.

MRS. BURNS RECEIVED SISTER'S PROPERTY

Value of the estate of Mrs. Annie Lawson of Methuen is $85,-526.35, according to an inventory filed in the Registry of Probate. She had personal property worth $77,526.35, it was stated, and realty appraised at $9000.

Mrs. Lawson, who died March 31, bequeathed all of her possessions to a sister, Mrs. Florence Burns of Andover. She stated that she was purposely leaving nothing to any other relative. The probate petition listed a brother as James Soutar of parts unknown.

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Obituaries . . .

MRS. ANNIE P. BUCHAN

Mrs. Annie (Porter) Buchan, 77, Bay Ridge ln., South Duxbury, died at a North Pembroke nursing home after a short illness.

The widow of John S. Buchan, she was a resident of Andover for 50 years before moving to South Duxbury eight years ago. Born in Brechin, Scotland, she was a member of the Pilgrim Church, Duxbury.

Surviving are three daughters, Miss Ada Buchan of Andover, Margaret B., wife of John C. Lowe of Andover and Miss Elizabeth L. Buchan, with whom she made her home; a son, Norman of Chelmsford; two sisters, Mrs. Helen Farquharson of Andover and Mrs. Mary Sherman of Sussex, England; two brothers, Charles Porter and James Porter, both of Scotland, four grandchildren and one great-granddaughter.

Funeral services were held Wednesday at 3:30 p.m. at the Lundgren Funeral Home. The Rev. J. Allyn Bradford, pastor of the Free Christian Congregational Church officiated. Burial was at West Parish Cemetery.

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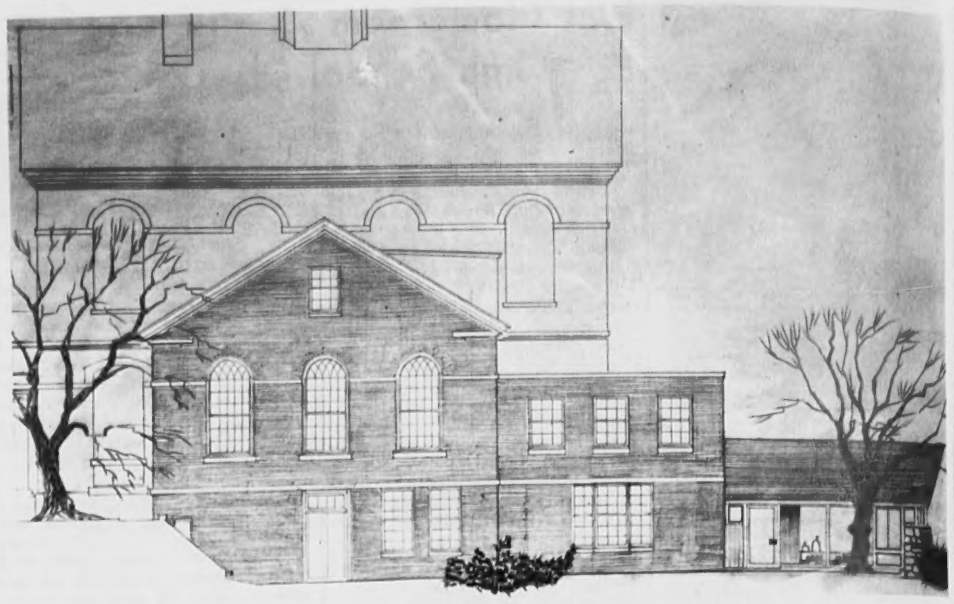

HOW WILL IT LOOK? – This is one view of the Library addition, for which plans are now being prepared. The door at left foreground is the present street level entrance to the children's room on Main st., and the addition is at right. This artist's conception of the new building was furnished by the Library.

ALFRED R. HARRIS

Alfred R. Harris, 57, 25 Washington ave., died Sunday night Aug. 30, at the Lawrence General Hospital following a short illness.

Born in Andover, he was employed as a printer for 40 years at the Andover Press, Ltd. He was a member and deacon of the Free Christian Congregational Church, and a member of St. Matthew's Lodge, A.F. and A.M. of Andover and a past chief of Clan Johnston, Order of Scottish Clan, of Andover.

Surviving are his wife, Mary (Caldwell) Harris; his mother, Mrs. Lily R. Harris of Andover; a son, Alfred G. of New Canaan, Conn.; a brother, Norman E. of West Haven, Conn.; a sister, Mrs. Lily H. Dumont of Andover; and several nieces and nephews.

Funeral services were held Wednesday at 2 p.m. at the Free Christian Congregational Church. Burial was in Spring Grove Cemetery.

ARTHUR C. DAME

Arthur Carroll Dame, 15 York st., died Tuesday morning at the Nevin's Home for the Aged, Methuen, following a long illness.

Born in Manchester, N. H. Aug. 26, 1876, he was the son of Benjamin F. and Abbie (Hazelton) Dame.

A retired banker, he started his career as a runner for the Merchants National Bank in 1891. In 1911, he became a teller and when the Merchants bank combined with the Lawrence National bank to form the Merchants Trust Co., he was promoted to secretary for that organization and later became assistant treasurer.

In 1933 when the bank reorganized as the Bay State Merchants National bank he served as cashier and in 1945 was elected to the vice-presidency, a position which he held at the time of his retirement on Dec. 31, 1946.

He was the former treasurer and organizer of the Lawrence Lions Club and for 12 years served as treasurer of the Lawrence T.B. league. He was a former director and auditor of the Lawrence Boys club.

He was a member of the Church of the Good Shepherd Unitarian-Universalist and a deacon-emeritus and former member of the board of directors of that church.

Surviving are one daughter, Miss Priscilla D. Dame, of Andover, and one nephew, Raymond Ewart of Goffstown, N. H.

Funeral services will be held this morning at 11 in the Church of the Good Shepherd Unitarian-Universalist, Lawrence. The Rev. Kenneth C. Hawkes, pastor, will officiate. Burial will be in Riverside Cemetery, Newmarket, N.H.

JAMES W. THOMSON

James W. Thomson, 4722 Knights ave., Tampa, Fla., died at his home Monday, Aug. 24, after a short illness. He is a former Andover resident.

Born in Arbroath, Scotland, 76 years ago, he was an attendant of the Free Christian Congregational Church and was a member of St. Matthew's lodge, A.F. and A.M. of Andover. He was a retired employee of the Town of Andover where he served as an engineer.

He is survived by five daughters, Mrs. Margaret S. Conkey of Andover, Mrs. Elsie Chase of Andover, Mrs. Ina T. Harrison of Salem, N.H., Mrs. Marjorie Park, with whom he made his home, and Mrs. Anna Greenaker of Bergen, N.Y.; three sons, George of Andover, James of Pennsylvania and Robert of Stafford Springs, Conn.; a brother, George of Methuen; two sisters, both of Andover, Mrs. Lena Kydd and Mrs. Margaret Spindler; also 13 grandchildren, three great-grandchildren and several nieces and nephews.

Funeral services were held Saturday, Aug. 29, at 2:30 p.m. at the Lundgren Funeral Home, with burial in Spring Grove Cemetery. The Rev. J. Allyn Bradford, pastor of Free Christian Congregational Church, officiated.

MRS. ALICE MUDGE

Mrs. Alice (Greene) Mudge, 92, widow of Arthur Mudge, former secretary of Forbes Lithograph Company, Boston, died at her home, 109 Main st., Friday morning, Aug. 21, after a short illness.

Born in Jersey, City, N.J., she was a former resident of Jamaica Plain and Winchester. She moved to Andover in 1928.

She was a member of the South Congregational Church, the Massachusetts Mayflower Descendants Society and the Boston Women's City Club.

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MISS ROSEMARY O'CONNOR

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Engagements

Hogarty — O'Connor

Miss Rosemary O'Connor, 45 Clark rd., has chosen Jan. 2, 1960, in St. Augustine's Church, for her marriage to William S. Hogarty of Princeton, N. J.

Miss O'Connor is the daughter of Edward J. and the late Rose Leary O'Connor. She is a graduate of Notre Dame Academy, Lowell Teacher's College and Boston College. She presently is art supervisor in the Lynnfield school system.

Mr. Hogarty, the son of Mr. and Mrs. James Hogarty, is a graduate of Hunn School, Princeton, and Lafayette College. He is a partner in The Industrial Associates, in Hawaii, where the couple will make their home.

Wheeler — Allen

Mr. and Mrs. Philip K. Allen, 1 Highland rd., have announced the engagement of their daughter, Miss Elizabeth Kirkham Allen, to Robert Borden Wheeler, son of Mr. and Mrs. George W. Wheeler of Newport, R. I.

Miss Allen was graduated from Westover School and Connecticut College for Women, class of 1957, and is now working at the Judge Baker Guidance Center in Boston.

Mr. Wheeler is an alumnus of St. George's School and Yale University, class of 1956, where he was a member of Zeta Psi fraternity and Scroll and Key. He is currently serving as a lieutenant j.g., with the U. S. Navy.

A December wedding is planned.

Ratyna — Montgomery

Mrs. Joseph Leo Montgomery, 1526 Fernwood ave., Louisville, Ky., announces the engagement of her daughter, Sally Ann, to Joseph John Ratyna, son of Mr. and Mrs. Anthony J. Ratyna, 38 Red Spring rd.

Miss Montgomery is a graduate of the Presentation Academy, Louisville, and is presently associated with General Electric at its Louisville division.

Mr. Ratyna is a graduate of Punchard High School, and attended Harvard University and the University of Massachusetts Graduate School. He is a member of the Lambda Chi Alpha fraternity and the Arts Club of Louisville. Mr. Ratyna is a landscape architect employed by the firm of Miller, Wihry and Lantz of Louisville.

The wedding will take place at St. James' Church, Louisville, Oct. 17.

Ratte — Walton

Mr. and Mrs. John M. Walton of St. Mark's place, Huntington, Long Island, N. Y. have announced the engagement of their daughter, Mary Louise, to John Edward Ratte. He is the son of Mrs. Arthur D. Quintal of Andover, and the late Edward Joseph Ratte. An autumn wedding is planned.

Miss Walton is an alumna of Marymount Academy, Tarrytown, N. Y., and was graduated from Wellesley College in 1957. She was named a Wellesley scholar and received the John Masefield prize for prose writing. After a year with the New Yorker magazine, she returned to graduate study at Radcliffe College, where she is now a candidate for an advanced degree in the Department of History and Philosophy of Religion.

Mr. Ratte is a graduate of Phillips Academy. As a National Scholar at Harvard he was president of the Harvard Advocate, a member of the Signet Society, an active member of the Harvard Dramatic club and class poet. He was elected a member of Phi Beta Kappa and graduated magna cum laude in 1957. After a year's study at Oxford (Pembroke College) as a Henry Fellow, he returned to Harvard as a Woodrow Wilson scholar and is now a non-teaching fellow in the department of history.

Burke — Fox

Mr. and Mrs. Charles D. Fox, 33 Kathrine st., Lawrence, announce the engagement of their daughter, Judith Eilen to Brian J. Burke, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edmond J. Burke, 3 Linda rd.

Miss Fox was graduated from Lawrence High School and Emmanuel College, Class of 1959. She will begin teaching in Glastonbury, Conn. in September. Mr. Burke was graduated from Lawrence High School and Tufts University, Class of 1959. He is employed by Pratt and Whitney Aircraft Company, East Hartford, Conn.

A Dec. 26 wedding is planned.

PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. Roland Joy Sr. of West Palm Beach, Fla., and formerly of Ballardvale, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Roland Joy Jr. on Memorial cir., and Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Rhodes Jr. of Andover st., Ballardvale.

Flight Lt. Roger MacCausland, stationed in Texas, visited Mr. and Mrs. William MacCausland and family of Woburn st., Ballardvale.

Mrs. Ruth Sutton of Lovejoy rd. has returned from San Francisco, Cal., where she attended the National Food School Lunch Association meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Tisdale and children of Pittsburg, Pa., were recent guests of Mrs. Anna Hess of Andover st.

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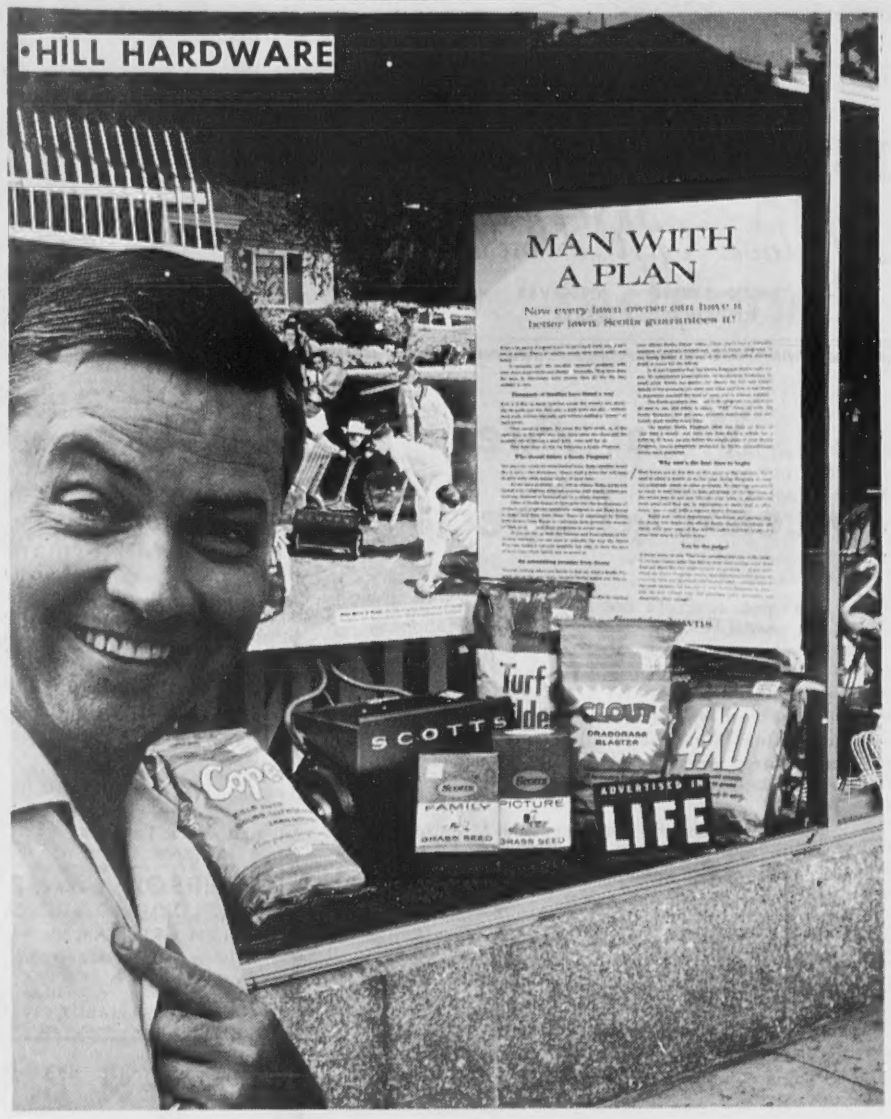

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Mr. and Mrs. Walter Lebel and sons, Stephen and Larry of Muskegon, Mich., were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ellsworth Spencer of Tewksbury st.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry H. Gouck, former Andover residents, have returned to their home in Winter Park, Fla., after a three-week vacation with Mr. and Mrs. Richard Wrigley of Stevens st.

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THEY GOT THE WORD – Candidates for the football team met Monday with the new coach, Dick Collins, and heard, first hand, how things will be this year. Collins spoke to the boys for over an hour before Athletic Director Donald D. Dunn issued equipment. (Staff Photo)

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Promotion For Robert Mitterman

Robert Mitterman of Andover has been promoted to the position of assistant superintendent, Manufacturing Engineering, from department chief, Development Engineering, at Western Electric Co.

Mr. Mitterman began his company career as an assistant engineer in the Manufacturing Engineering Organization at the Kearny, N.J. Works. In 1949 he was assigned as development engineer for Extrusion of plastics on telephone cables and subsequently worked on development of carrier equipment. He later was the engineer on establishing production of N & O carrier equipment at the Merrimack Valley Works, transferring to this location in Aug. 1952. In 1953, he worked on planning the new North Andover Plant and in 1955 he was promoted to department chief, Planning and Development. Following an assignment as Manufacturing Engineering Organization department chief on carrier and microwave equipment, he was named department chief, Development Engineering, in December of 1958.

He holds a Mechanical Engineering Degree and a Master's Degree in Mechanical Engineering from Stevens Institute of Technology. He has served as an instructor in Engineering Principles and Mathematics at Northeastern University and Merrimack College. He is a veteran of World War II, having served as a Lieutenant, (senior grade) in the Engineering Corps of the United States Navy from 1943 to 1946.

Mr. Mitterman resides with his wife, Claire, and their three children, Glenn, 10; Sherry, 8, and Keith, 2, at 19 Beech cir.

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GRANGE TO MEET

Andover Grange will hold its regular meeting next Tuesday evening Sept. 8, at 6:30 in Grange Hall. A covered dish supper will precede the meeting with Election of Officers to follow the regular business meeting.

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Urges Caution In Driving

School Safety officer William Tammany has urged all parents to be particularly cautious in their driving habits as they drive their youngsters to and from school.

Noting that the opening day is only six days away, Officer Tammany suggested that all drivers, whether specifically going to school or not, remember that schools open next Wednesday and to drive carefully.

In addition to suggesting that those responsible for transportation be careful while driving around the school premises, Tammany had one idea for the youngsters themselves:

"Leave your dog at home".

He said the opening of school is usually a signal for every dog in the neighborhood to trail their masters to school.

Then, when the children are inside the building, the dogs often hang around the yard and get into fights. On several occasions last year, a public appeal was made to keep pets at home when it became apparent that too many dogs around the school yards was not safe.

Women Patrol

Seven women make up the school safety patrol this year, with specific stations at school hours.

They will be assigned to the following locations:

Chestnut and Whittier sts.; No. Main in Shawsheen; Lowell and Beacon sts.; Central st. at St. Augustine's; Bartlet and Punchard ave.; Woburn st. and Main st. near Phillips Academy.

The crossing guards are Mrs. William Coutts, Mrs. Walter Pearson, Mrs. George Locke, Mrs. Isabelle Quesenberry, Mrs. Dorothy Volker, Mrs. William Watson and Mrs. John J. Fairburn.

MAKES PROVISION FOR BROTHER

Provisions for the payment of $25 monthly to his brother, Giovanni Magnano of Melilli, Province of Siracusa, Italy, are incorporated in the will of Sebastiano Magnano of Andover, it was revealed when the document was filed in the Registry of Probate.

The local resident, who died Aug. 8, drew up the testament Sept. 16, 1958 and nominated his widow, Mrs. Concettina Magnano, 40 William st., as the executrix. No estimate of the value of his estate was listed.

All jewelry, clothing, books, automobiles, household furniture and furnishings, and personal effects were bequeathed to Mrs. Magnano, who the will stated is to distribute them in accordance with what she understands to have been her husband's wishes.

Half of the gross taxable estate, less the value of other property or interests passing to her was left to Mrs. Magnano. The residue of the estate was placed in trust, with two daughters, Mrs. Angela M. Privitera and Mrs. Emmuella Wilson, both of Andover, as the trustees. The $25 monthly for the brother is to come out of the residuary trust fund, it was set forth with the remainder of the income going to the widow. Upon Mrs. Magnano's death, the instrument recited the principal of the trust fund is to be shared by the daughters.

The widow and daughters are to continue the operation of a machine tool business, according to the will.

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ACCEPTS POSITION IN WASHINGTON

Miss Judith Hall left recently to commence her duties as physical education instructor in the Highland Junior High School in Kennewick, Wash. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Hall Jr. of Dascomb rd. She was accompanied on the Western trip, which was made by auto, by her father. Mr. Hall returned by plane. Miss Hall is a graduate of Andover High School and Sargent College in Boston.

DEAN'S LIST HONORS FOR 2

Two Andover students were named to the second semester's Dean's List at the University of New Hampshire.

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The substitute positions pay $2 hourly and increases are granted according to length of service. Postmaster Stephen A. Boland has further information.

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KICKING UP A SPRAY are two enthusiastic swimmers at Pomp's Pond. They raced along the beach front Sunday afternoon, to the delight of the few spectators. A band concert was held at the Pond Sunday, but the threatening weather apparently discouraged most townspeople from attending. Despite the weather, Frank McBride and David Frishman took to the water to provide some entertainment for the onlookers. (Leone)

Michael Wagenbach who has spent the summer months at Hill School Camp Wolfboro, N. H. returned recently to his home on Lowell st.

PLAN REGISTRATIONS BEFORE SCHOOL

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when necessary revisions in the schedule will be made.

Kindergarten Hours

As in the past, only the high and junior high will have a full day on the first regular school day of the year.

Elementary grades will only be in session half a day next Wednesday.

Afternoon kindergarten youngsters, thus, will have their first day on Thursday. With the new schedule of starting one-third of the kindergarten on each of the first three days of school, this means that the last one-third of the afternoon kindergarten pupils will not start school until the following Monday. Notices were mailed yesterday to all parents of those children attending kindergarten, telling them in which group their child belongs and when he or she will start.

After the first day, grades two through senior high will function on a full-day basis.

The first grade will meet only a half day through Oct. 2, as has been customary in the past few years. And the kindergarten, after the three-day opening period, will meet in its usual morning or afternoon session.

School Hours

The hours that school starts and ends differ, however, with the specific school.

The High School starts at 8:10 a.m. and continues to 2 p.m.

At the Junior High, the hours will be 8:15-2.

Central Elementary runs from 9-12 and 1:15-3.

At Shawsheen, the hours are 9-11:45 and 1-3.

West School will be in session from 8:45-11:50 and from 12:50 to 2:40.

At the South School, youngsters will attend from 9 a.m. to noon and from 1-3 p.m.

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AT THE CHURCHES

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SUNDAY: Mass at 9 o'clock. Confessions heard before Mass.

Christian Science Society
(6 Locke Street)

SUNDAY: 9:30 a.m. Sunday School. 11 a.m. Church Service. Subject of lesson sermon: "Man".

Reading room, 66 Main st. open 12:30 to 4 p.m., Monday through Friday, except holidays.

WEDNESDAY: Testimony meetings 8 p.m.

St. Augustine's Church
REV. HENRY B. SMITH, Pastor

SATURDAY: Confessions 4 to 5:30 and 7:30 to 9 p.m.

SUNDAY: Masses 6:30, 8, 9, 10, 11 and 12.

Christ Church
REV. FREDERICK HILL
Minister-in-Charge

SUNDAY: Fifteenth Sunday after Trinity. 8 a.m. Holy Communion. 10 a.m. Holy Communion and Sermon. Mr. Hill will preach the sermon, "A Religion of Boundless Expectation". This is Mr. Hill's last Sunday with Christ Church as he leaves next week to take up his duties at St. James' Church, New York. There will be a Coffee Hour after the Late Service.

Free Church
REV. J. ALLYN BRADFORD

SUNDAY: 10 a.m. Union Summer Services will be held at the South Church with Ronald Cebik, student minister of the Free Christian Church, conducting the service.

WEDNESDAY: 9:30 a.m. The Women's Union Board will hold a meeting at the church. 7:30 p.m. The Planning Council will meet in the Church Parlor.

THURSDAY: 2:10 p.m. Junior High Choir rehearsal. 3:15 p.m. Junior Choir rehearsal. 6:15 p.m. Senior High Choir rehearsal. 7:30 p.m. Senior Choir rehearsal.

West Parish Church
REV. HUGH B. PENNEY, Pastor

SUNDAY: 9:30 a.m. Service of Worship. The guest minister will be Dr. Walter R. Greenwood of Rockport.

South Church
REV. FREDERICK B. NOSS, Pastor

SUNDAY: 10 a.m. Summer Union Services of the South Church and the Free Christian Church will be held at the South Church and will be conducted by Ronald Cebik, student assistant to the Minister of the Free Christian Church. Keith H. Gould, Director of Music at the South Church, will be in charge of the special music for the Morning Worship. Infant Care is provided for children under three years of age. Mr. and Mrs. Dixon B. Penick will be at the door of the Church to welcome the morning worshippers.

Andover Baptist Church
REV. DONALD J. RYDER, Pastor

SUNDAY: 10 a.m. Morning Worship Service. Message by the pastor, Rev. Donald J. Ryder. "America's Industrial Coronaries" Baritone solo by John Carver. This is the last Sunday on summer schedule. Next week the Morning Worship Service will be held at 10:45 a.m.

THURSDAY: 2 p.m. Women's Union meeting. Each member is asked to bring material for making aprons. 7:15 p.m. Senior Choir rehearsal at 6 Foster cir. New singers will be welcome. 7:30 p.m. Standing Committee meeting.

NOTICE: Sunday Sept. 13: 9:30 a.m. Sunday School will start once again. Be accounted for on the first day, which will be Rally Day. 10:45 a.m. Morning Worship Service with Communion.

Need Furnishings In Recreation Room

All 40 apartments at the housing for the elderly project will be full by this weekend, according to Ernest N. Hall, executive director of the Housing Authority.

He said 22 of the apartments had been occupied by Tuesday night, only three days after the housing units were opened for public inspection.

The recreational room at the project has not been furnished, Hall indicated, because the Housing Authority has no money for furnishings.

He said suggested groups in the town may wish to contribute towards chairs, small tables and other furniture needed to make the central recreational room comfortable and useful. Groups or individuals wishing to discuss that possibility may contact Mr. Hall.

$36,500 LISTED IN BEQUESTS

Outright bequests totaling $36,500 for relatives and friends are contained in the will of Mrs. Alice J. Mahoney of Andover, it was disclosed when the document was filed in the Registry of Probate. No estimate of the value of her estate was listed.

Mrs. Mahony, who died Aug. 14, signed the instrument Feb. 19, 1958, and nominated Atty. Salvatore J. Basile of Lawrence as the executor.

She left $10,000 to a brother, Clarence H. Joslyn of Swampscott, and gave a like sum to a friend, Viola Baton of Andover. Legacies of $3000 each were devised to Cornelia M. Daly of Methuen, Frances Rickard and Katherine Keany, both of Baltimore, Md.; Clarence H. Joslyn Jr., a nephew; and Mathew Keany.

John D. Reilly of Methuen was awarded $1000 "for his kindness and assistance in the management of the Essex street property." The sum of $500 was given to Helen P. Hale of Lawrence.

A godchild, Mrs. Eleanor F. Lacaillade of Taunton, was devised the residue of the estate, including household goods, furniture, clothing and jewelry, but the testatrix expressed a desire that she give certain articles to certain individuals named in a letter.

WILL FETE PARENTS ON 56TH ANNIVERSARY

Mr. and Mrs. William F. Jacobus of Lincoln st. will entertain the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank A. Fackrell of Bradford, formerly of St. Petersburg, Fla., at dinner at the Fieldstone Inn Saturday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Fackrell are celebrating their 56th wedding anniversary.

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EDITORIAL THOUGHTS

Foresight Needed Here

When you take a look at the proposed route of the federal highway, called locally Route 110, it is easy to envision many problems for future years.

Chief among these are the service difficulties created by dead-ending High Plain rd., leaving a desirable residential area stranded. Fire and police service will be slowed down if this tentative plan becomes final, because it will be necessary to swing a wide loop to get into the area. Bus transportation will also be affected, making it more difficult for youngsters to get to school. Similar problems will be created if McKenney cir. is isolated from Andover, with residents having to drive into Lawrence to get onto No. Main st. and back to this community.

The town officials concerned with this – Selectmen, Planning Board, town manager and the water and sewer superintendent – plan to take their case to the state, in an effort to have suitable changes made in the plans. It's far better to forestall problems that can be foreseen, than to sit back and wait.

It is easy to anticipate the need for a small fire station in West Andover, if the High Plain rd. situation is not solved to the satisfaction of local officials. And this construction need might very well be only the beginning – with a school coming next.

There are mighty arguments available to the town officials when they appeal this design suggestion to the state – we wish them luck in getting their points across successfully.

Terrrible Taste, But Pure

The sensitive palates of many a resident were jolted severely last week whenever they lifted a glass of water to their lips.

For Andover's pure, cold refreshing water tasted simply awful. And it didn't smell much better, most of the time.

The happiest feature, however, is that the purity of the water was not threatened at any time. Even when one had to turn up his nose in disgust, there still was no problem of impurities that could have, in any way, been harmful to a person's health.

The smell and taste resulted from the rapid growth of algae and other vegetation, encouraged beyond normal by the proper temperature and humidity. Treatments were initiated to discourage the growth, but this could not prevent some of the vegetation from getting out of the pond and into the water system.

Most of the difficulty is now over, we understand, and we are properly grateful for that blessing. But it is good to know that even a bad taste and a foul odor didn't in any way lessen the quality of the water, about which most townspeople frequently brag.

Well Done!

Once again the recreational activities sponsored by the town are coming to an end – marking the beginning of a busy fall.

We mentioned several weeks ago that newer residents of the town have been pleased to find a town pond, with supervised swimming for all. And of course they have been more than happy to discover that a fully-developed program is available for their youngsters at the various playgrounds.

Both activities – swimming and playgrounds – are services that all-too-frequently are overlooked when residents are looking critically at their government. It's all too easy to be critical of local municipal functions. Let's remember to give credit where it's due, handing the Recreation Committee and the summer staff a hearty "well done".

Down the Years with The Townsman

50 Years Ago – September, 1909

James Anderson spent a few days last week at the home of his uncle, the Hon. Fred Gore in Dorchester.

The town waterwagon, in charge of Frank L. Smith, who was driving for his father, Frank, was in an accident Wednesday when a pole chain on the nigh side pulled apart on Essex st., letting the whole four-ton load down on the horses' heels. The team swerved into the gutter and one horse had its leg broken in two places.

Age for admission to public school has been set by the School Committee as four for kindergarten and five for first grade.

The teaching of manuel training has been arranged, to be held in the old school house, by the School Committee.

Franklin H. Stacey, who recently bought the drug store of Arthur Bliss, located in the Bank Building, is having the interior renovated.

25 Years Ago – September, 1934

A letter signed by 442 playground children and their friends has been received by the public works office, asking that facilities at the Playstead be extended. The youngsters suggest installing eight paddle tennis courts, and point to the heavy usage of the present playground facility this year.

The Planning Board has completely written the proposed zoning by-laws, and it is expected they will be presented to the town at a special meeting very soon. A hearing will be held Friday night at the town hall for public discussion. The by-laws establish four major zones – residential, educational, business and industrial.

Atty. Daniel J. Murphy has resigned as town counsel after serving the community for 25 years. He cited reasons concerning other business responsibility which interferes with his legal work for the town.

The School Committee, through its sub-committee on curriculum, is talking about dropping some "cultural" subjects at the high school and replacing them with such subjects as typing and bookkeeping.

A petition from 220 Ballardvale residents, asking for a permanent police officer in the Vale, has been received by the Selectmen. After a recent wave of thefts, false alarms and a shooting, the residents began circulating the petition. Presently, the motorcycle officer goes to the Vale on occasion but is not there full-time.

10 Years Ago – September, 1949

Public schools open next Wednesday with the highest enrollment in history. School officials expect at least 1,650 youngsters to attend the opening session, with most of the growth in the elementary grades. Some additional enrollment is coming this year from Boxford, whose junior and senior high students will attend school herel

Five Vermont men were arrested here last Friday and were arraigned in Lawrence District Court on charges of possessing burglar tools. One of the men was also charged with carrying a loaded revolver. Total bail was set at $65,000 for the five. Officers Richard Caldwell and Joseph E. O'Brien made the arrests at 1:40 a.m., after following the Vermont-registered car along Main st. to Wheeler, at Phillips Academy, where it turned in. Officer O'Brien told the court about the arrest, and the finding of burglar tools in the vehicle. The case was continued so that Lawrence and Andover police can investigate further.

Punchard High football candidates are practicing daily, with the first game scheduled for Sept. 17 with Concord. The opening home game is a tough one. with Concord sporting an undefeated record for the past three years.

The engineers for Benoit Construction Co. of Lynn are making preliminary plans for the work on the veterans' housing off Morton st.

SUSIE'S SONNETS

by Sylvia Neilson

STAND-BY'S

A party for him; he got promoted;
And money for him; he hurt his foot.
A shower for her; she's getting married.
Say, how about us who just stay put?

What Our Readers Say—

To the Editor of the Townsman:

"From time to time the Townsman reports details of public meetings concerning the application of the Zoning laws. The view is often expressed that these regulations impose a hardship upon individuals, hence they seek to have the law modified. Consequently, more attention should be directed to the purpose of the Zoning laws, which is to protect the town from hardships which would be imposed upon it by various uses of land.

"For instance, a person has land sufficient for two houses but he wishes to have the law changed in his instance so that he can build three. But it costs the Town over $800 a year to service a home with two youngsters of school age. The majority of new buildings produce less than $600 a year in taxes. Thus it appears that the town is being exposed to a hardship merely by servicing two homes let alone a third, that can be built only by circumventing the very purpose of the Zoning method of protecting us from hardship.

"We should keep in mind that many homes are built for sale in Andover on the supposition that the desirable public services given can be capitalized without investment in them. Accordingly, it's suggested that a committee be formed, which would look into the degree of legality and feasibility of the town requiring owners of new buildings to deposit with the town sufficient money to assure that their property shall be self supporting taxwise for at least the first 12 years of its life.

"That plan has long been required by law of those who render public service by private entities, to the end that present customers are not made to subsidize those who seek to capitalize services available, to which they did not contribute. If such is a sound method of doing business in the private sphere it ought to be equally sound for the public domain."

Karl Haartz

REBEKKA LODGE PLANS FOOD SALE SEPT. 11

Indian Ridge Rebekka Lodge 136, I.O.O.F., will hold a bakery sale at Cole's Hardware Store on Main st. Friday, Sept. 11, starting at 10 a.m.

Mrs. Ralph Berry is in charge.

BALLARDVALE HOMEMAKER'S CLUB

The Ballardvale Homemaker's will meet at the home of Mrs. Robert Mears on Andover st. next Wednesday morning at 9:30. There will be a discussion on "Financing Children's Education". This will consist of opportunities, types of education, where located, costs, scholarships and financial planning.

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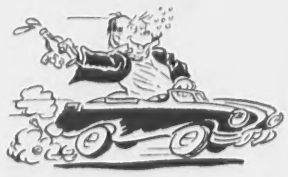

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And full of rye,
and full of beer;

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the road ahead
Perhaps he'll wake up
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Snappers Dangerous When Found On Land

Just about the "s(n)appiest" thing you can do this summer is fool around with a snapping turtle on land.

You'll be sorry if you do, warns Boston's Museum of Science.

Pointing out the Jekyll and Hyde nature of this animal, the Museum's David D. Bonney of the Education Department says there's a big difference between a snapping turtle found in the water and one found on dry land.

"When they're in the water," Bonney says, "snapping turtles never molest swimmers. Water is their natural element and, when surprised, their first reaction is to escape.

"On land, however, it's a different story. Generally speaking, a snapping turtle found on land is a female looking for a suitable place to lay her eggs. Her first reaction is one of defense, and she can be pretty mean about it."

Bonney says stories about snapping turtles "snapping off" a finger or hand are exaggerated, but emphasizes that they can take a chunk of flesh with a bite from their powerful, though toothless, jaws.

One of the chief brutes of the New England animal world – they are members of the reptile family – adult snapping turtles have no natural enemy other than man himself.

Even though the "snapper" is a slow-moving animal, its long, curved neck can shoot out to half the length of its body, finding its victim with deadly accuracy. Its hard protective shell is difficult to crack. Only man has the intelligence necessary to trap this killer turtle.

"Killer" is perhaps too strong a word, yet conservation authorities agree that the snapping turtle is one of the most destructive New England animals.

It has earned this reputation because of its habit of attacking unsuspecting ducks and ducklings from beneath the water. A natural meat-eater, it also indulges in worms, frogs, birds, and fish.

Bonney says snapping turtle is easy to identify. For one thing, its tail is the longest of any turtle in New England and is characterized by dinosaur-like ridges.

Its upper shell, or carapace, has a saw-toothed appearance at the rear. Its cross-shaped undershell, or plastron, protects only a part of its body. ("Don't get close enough to look for this feature, however," Bonney advises.)

Some snapping turtles may live to be a century or more old.

It's a particularly large animal, sometimes growing to weights of 50 or 60 pounds. No other adult New England turtle grows to anywhere near its size. Says Bonney, "If you see a turtle too big to fit in your hat it's undoubtedly an adult snapper, and should be avoided."

Baby snapping turtles, two inches long, are harmless. In fact, the Museum is sending out a call to amateur naturalists for up to 70 of these little creatures.

As in previous years, the Museum hopes to give a live baby turtle to each of the elementary school teachers signed up for a special teachers' course conducted each fall and winter by Director of Education Norman D. Harris.

If you find one baby, the Museum says, it indicates the presence nearby of 25 or 50 more – all coming from a single clutch of eggs laid last spring; and persistent search can reward the seeker. Baby turtles hatch in early September and are generally found moving towards the water.

If you find one or more and want to help the Museum's teaching program, put them in a jar with a little water and bring them to the Museum within a week or so.

Don't worry about feeding them for the first few days. Like other cold-blooded animals, they can go weeks without eating.

MISSION COMMITTEE PLANS "RETREAT"

Under the leadership of Denis Hole, the Free Christian Church Missions Committee met recently to put together plans for the coming church year.

Mr. Hole emphasized the need for a clearer awareness of the needs of the mission program. A "retreat" was planned for the committee members Sept. 24. At that time, Mr. Hole will lead a "Chalk talk" discussion on the purposes of the mission program and its implementation.

FULL SCHOLARSHIP TO BOSTON U.

Edward A. Rice, 8 Morton st., has received a full-tuition scholarship from Boston University. He is one of 19 named to receive the four-year award, while 13 will get half-scholarships from the University.

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Included in the average salary figures are all extra payments for additional duties, such as coaching.

Additional Positions

Supt. Edward I. Erickson has explained that the new teaching positions have been created because of the growth of the school system.

Filling these staff jobs will be the following teachers:

Mrs. Marjorie I. McAninch, teaching High School English, is a graduate of Dakota Wesleyan and holds her A.B. degree. She has had teaching experience in Kingston, N.H. and Amesbury.

Mrs. Pauline Perry will teach French at the High School. She comes to the system with experience in schools of Wolverlampton, England, Saskatchewan, Winnipeg and Manitoba, Canada. She is a graduate of Cambridge University, England, from which she holds both an A.B. and M.A. degree.

William E. Russell will teach science at the High School. He comes into the system from Methuen, and is a graduate of St. Anselm's and Salem Teacher's College. He holds the Master of Education degree from the latter institution.

Two interns from Harvard will teach, a half-year apiece, in one of the new positions. Paul M. Zorn Jr. and David C. Eldridge will teach physics and math at the High School.

Zorn is a graduate of Massachusetts Institute of Technology and has experience as a development engineer.

Eldridge received his Bachelor of Science degree from the same school, M.I.T., and has no previous teaching experience other than the Harvard program.

Keith H. Gould will teach music in all schools, occupying a full-time position formerly served by several part-time assistants. He has been teaching in Methuen. Gould holds his Bachelor's degree from Arizona State College and received the Master of Music degree from Boston University.

Harry Jamkochian will teach science in the Junior High, having experience in Van Buren, Me. and Littleton. He is a graduate of the University of Rhode Island.

Richard E. Neal, a graduate of Brown University, will teach math in the Junior High. He has had experience in Penacook, N.H.

Sally Ann Rogers, assigned to teach social studies in the Junior High, is a graduate of Russell Sage. She has most of her credits towards a Master's degree from the College of William and Mary. She has had no full-time teaching experience.

Martha M. Allen, a graduate of Guilford College, will teach the fourth grade at South School. She has had practice teaching in Greenboro, N.C.

Mrs. Ann C. Lange, a Lesley College graduate, will teach the first grade at West School. She has previous experience in practice teaching at Andover, Winchester and Belmont.

Anne-Marie K. Andrews, a graduate of Syracuse University, will teach elementary art. She has prior experience in Lafayette, Ind., and Rochester, N.Y.

Replacements Listed

The following teachers, all new to the system, are replacing a person who resigned:

Richard J. Collins, head football and track coach, will also teach social studies at the High School. He is a graduate of Dartmouth College and holds his Master of Arts degree from the University of Rhode Island. He has been teaching in East Providence, R.I.

Mrs. Stephanie W. Hatch comes to Andover from Methuen. She will teach math at the High School. Mrs. Hatch is a graduate of St. Lawrence University and has a Master's degree from Syracuse University.

Wilbur G. Hixon Jr., holder of a Bachelor of Science degree from Plymouth State Teacher's College, will teach social studies and math at the High School, and will also coach basketball. His experience includes teaching in Raymond, N.H. and Plymouth, N.H.

Mrs. Marjorie S. O'Dowd, graduate of Salem Teacher's College, will teach commercial subjects at the High School. She has taught in Groton, Conn., Tewksbury and Methuen.

Ann D. Strout will teach physical education at the High School. She graduated from Sargent College at Boston University, and practice taught in Winchester and Andover.

Mrs. Mary Lou Garrison, a Hunter College graduate, is scheduled to teach math at the Junior High. She has taught in Yonkers, N.Y. and substituted in the local system.

Katherine E. McCarthy will teach physical education at the Junior High. She is a graduate of Lowell State Teacher's College and has a Masters degree in Education from Boston University. Her experience includes teaching in Lowell and Chelmsford.

Ingrid B. Simon, a graduate of the University of Stockholm, with a Master's degree from that institution, will teach French at the Junior High. She has taught previously in Stockholm.

Peter A. Soderbergh, Amherst College graduate and holder of the A.M.T. degree from Harvard University, will teach social studies at the Junior High. His experience includes teaching here as a Harvard intern a year ago.

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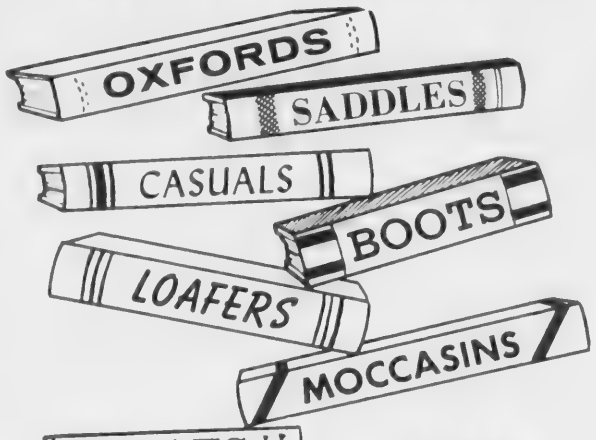

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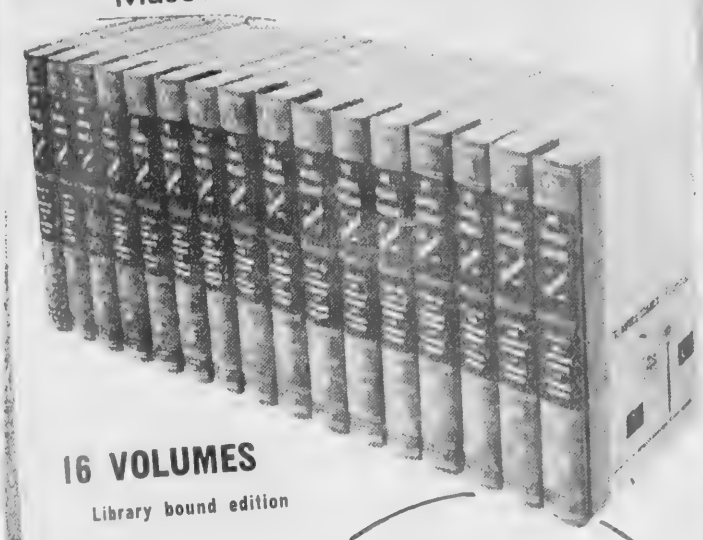

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Miss Barbara Currant of Allston was maid of honor and the bridesmaids were Mrs. John Marocco of North Andover and Mrs. Charles H. Wesson Jr. of Andover.

Joseph S. Shea of Boston was best man and the ushers were David Anderson 3d. and Laurence Marocco of Lawrence; Neale Hooley of New York City, John Marocco of North Andover, Charles Souter of Andover and Leo Gribbin of York, Pa.

Escorted by her father the bride wore a gown of white silk taffeta with a jewel trimmed portrait neckline and long pointed sleeves in a fitted bodice. The very bouffant skirt was enhanced with lace appliques and fell in a chapel train.

She wore a mantilla of imported French illusion appliqued with lace pearls and sequins and carried bridal Stephanotis.

Her attendants were costumed identically in blue silk organza over taffeta styled with portrait necklines, in fitted bodices and cocktail length skirts with bouffant backs. They wore headpieces of bachelor buttons and white carnation chips to match their bouquets.

A reception was held at Exeter Inn, Exeter, N. H. After a wedding trip the couple will reside in Cambridge.

The bride is a graduate of Merrimack College and has been a teacher in Newburyport.

Atty. Shea is a graduate of Merrimack College and Villanova University's school of law. He served in the U. S. Army for two years. At present he is associated with the Federal Reserve Bank of Boston and is a member of the Massachusetts Bar.

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TARDIFF — A daughter, Sandra Lee, Aug. 29, at Lawrence General Hospital, to Mr. and Mrs. George Tardiff, 34 Dale st., Ballardvale. The mother was Carol Kenyon.

ST. PETER — A son Aug. 31, at the DeWith Army Hospital, Fort Belvoir, Va., to Airman, first class, and Mrs. Delano St. Peter. The mother was Barbara Silva, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Silva, 46 Chandler rd. The paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Joseph St. Peter of Hull.

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Young Couple Were Feted

Mr. and Mrs. William F. Wood were guests of honor at a wedding party last Saturday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Wood, 244 Andover st., Ballardvale.

The guests of honor opened their gifts under a white wedding bell. A luncheon was served by the hostess.

Mrs. Wood is the former Miss Gail Smeltzer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Smeltzer of Ballardvale. They were recently married at St. George's Primitive Methodist Church in Methuen.

The couple were also guests of honor at a party held at the home of the bride's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Stearney Cormey, 122 Holt rd., Sunday afternoon. They were the recipients of many gifts. Mr. and Mrs. Wood are now living at 6 Howe st., Methuen.

MOUNTAIN CLIMBING TRIP

Philip Wormwood and Zygmond Kupis of Lowell Junction, accompanied by Robert Northup, Donald Kupis, Les Scott, James Hart and Richard Alden, left last Thursday for Mt. Katahdin, Maine, which they climbed. They returned home early Monday, after camping at the mountain top Saturday night.

WOMEN'S UNION TO MEET

The first fall meeting of the Women's Union of the West Church will be held in the Vestry next Wednesday Sept. 9. The program will be in charge of Mrs. Grant Silva. A luncheon at 12:30 will precede the business meeting and program of the afternoon.

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Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Kennis of High Plain rd. and Mr. and Mrs. Alsdon Arold and their sons of No. Andover spent the past weekend camping at Maquam Bay, Lake Champlain, N. Y.

Mrs. Leroy Pollard of Orlando, Fla. and her son, Harold Pollard of New Jersey, were weekend visitors of the former's mother, Mrs. Ernest Dick of High Plain rd.

Know Your Massachusetts

Small Fry Tractor Operators Pose Big Accident Problem

Should a boy be allowed to drive a tractor?

This is a problem which has been bothering farm safety experts for some time.

A report from the National Safety Council shows that each year more fatal tractor accidents occur in the 10-14 age group than in any other age category.

"This seems to point up the fact that young people who don't know how to handle tractors, are being allowed to operate them," the Council said.

Safety Training

"If it is absolutely necessary for a youth to drive a tractor, he should be thoroughly trained in all phases of tractor safety before he takes over the wheel," the Council warned.

A teenager—or anyone who operates a tractor for that matter—should be aware of the need for regular safety inspections, should know the proper way to handle a tractor in any situation or on any terrain and should use extreme caution at all times," the Council added.

Ignorance and Chances

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The Council said one of the biggest chances is taken when more than one person rides a tractor.

"This is just inviting trouble," a Council spokesman said.

Tractors are made for one person to operate—no more. But too often, someone hitches a ride. And that can lead to tragedy.

Children Killed Riding

The Council said the majority of children in the 4-9 year old group killed in tractor accidents last year were riding a tractor. Not operating one—just along for the ride.

A farmer recently told a Council official, "I would rather hear a child cry because he was refused a tractor ride, than to hear him cry because he got hurt riding one."

In general, accidents with farm machinery are decreasing, the Council's report showed, but tractor accidents are on the upswing.

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Troop 75 Scouts Will Meet Sept. 9

The first meeting of Troop 75 Boy Scouts for the coming year will be held Wednesday, Sept. 9, at 7 o'clock in St. Augustine's School Hall.

Plans for the "Annual Catholic Boy Scout Retreat", which will be held at Hobby Horse Farm in West Andover Sept. 25, 26 and 27, will be made at this meeting. Every Boy Scout of Troop 75 who wants to make this retreat must be at this meeting.

Any Catholic Boy Scout of St. Augustine's Parish who is not registered with Troop 75 and who wants to go on this retreat should contact Scoutmaster John McAllister or Matthew Hall Sr. as soon as possible.

ADULT SUPERVISION FOR BB GUN USE

After investigating several complaints about boys shooting BB guns at camp windows, officer William Tammany this week reminded all parents that the guns are not to be fired unless the youngsters are accompanied by an adult.

He said the complaints involved boys having target practice at the expense of windows in unoccupied camps, with no adults present.

PURCHASED SURPLUS

Considerable savings to the town were realized when Town Manager Thomas E. Duff, Police Chief David L. Nicoll, Civilian Defense Director Lee Noyes and Defense Director Lee E. Noyes and Highway Superintendent Stanley Chlebowski travelled to the Army Surplus Supply Depot in Taunton and purchased many articles which were badly needed by the various departments.

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LEGAL NOTICES

Commonwealth of Massachusetts
PROBATE COURT
Docket No. 262,442

Essex, ss.

To all persons interested in the estate of JOHN V. DOWNING late of Andover in said County, deceased.

A petition has been presented to said Court for probate of a certain instrument purporting to be the last will of said deceased by RAYMOND W. SCHLAPP of Andover in the County of Essex praying that he be appointed executor thereof.

If you desire to object thereto you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court at Lawrence before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the fourteenth day of September 1959, the return day of this citation.

Witness, JOHN V. PHELAN, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this seventeenth day of August 1959.

JOHN J. COSTELLO, Register
20-27-3

Commonwealth of Massachusetts
PROBATE COURT
Docket No. 262,407

Essex, ss.

To all persons interested in the estate of SAMUEL J. CROMIE late of Andover in said County, deceased.

A petition has been presented to said Court, for probate of certain instruments purporting to be the last will and a codicil of said deceased by GILBERT J. CROMIE of Andover in the County of Essex, praying that he be appointed executor thereof without giving a surety on his bond.

If you desire to object thereto you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court at Newburyport before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the twenty-eighth day of September 1959, the return day of this citation.

Witness, JOHN V. PHELAN, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this fourteenth day of August 1959.

JOHN J. COSTELLO, Register.
Elmeon E. LeGendre, Jr., Atty.
13 Washington Ave.,
Andover, Mass. 20-27-3

Commonwealth of Massachusetts
PROBATE COURT
Docket No. 262533

Essex, ss.

To all persons interested in the estate of WILBUR RAYMOND MOREHOUSE late of Andover in said County, deceased.

A petition has been presented to said Court, for probate of a certain instrument purporting to be the last will of said deceased by ETHEL C. MOREHOUSE of Andover in the County of Essex, praying that she be appointed executrix thereof without giving a surety on her bond.

If you desire to object thereto you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court at Salem before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the twenty-first day of September 1959, the return day of this citation.

Witness, JOHN V. PHELAN, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this twenty-eighth day of August 1959.

JOHN J. COSTELLO, Register.
F.A. Bernardin, Esq.
706 Bay State Bldg.
Lawrence, Mass. 3-10-17

Commonwealth of Massachusetts
PROBATE COURT
Docket No. 246001

Essex, ss.

To all persons who are or may become interested and to all persons whose issue not now in being may become interested in the trust estate under the will of EMIL J.C. SHULZE, late of Andover in said County, deceased for the benefit of LUELLA M. SHULZE:

A petition has been presented to said Court by the trustees of said estate for authority to sell, either at public or private sale, certain real estate held by them as such trustees.

If you desire to object thereto you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court at Salem before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the twenty-first day of September 1959, the return day of this citation.

Witness, JOHN V. PHELAN, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this twenty-fifth day of August 1959.

JOHN J. COSTELLO, Register.
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Commonwealth of Massachusetts
LAND COURT

Essex, ss.

To the Honorable the Judges of the Land Court for the Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

Respectfully represents C. LINCOLN GILES of Andover, in the County of Essex and said Commonwealth; that he is owner of a certain lot of land with the buildings thereon, situate in said Andover, in the County of Essex and said Commonwealth, bounded and described as follows:

A tract of land with the buildings thereon in said Andover as subdivided by J.P. Stevens & Co., Inc. dated October, 1955 recorded in Essex North District Registry of Deeds as plan no. 3356 and bounded as follows:

Easterly by Railroad Street 162.67';

Northerly by lot no. 2 on said plan and other land of J.P. Stevens & Co., Inc. 231.97';

Westerly by said land of J.P. Stevens & Co., Inc. 86.72'; and

Southerly by land of Tyer Rubber Co. 212.39'.

Together with and subject to easements of record.

That the record title to said lot of land is clouded by a mortgage given by NATHAN FRYE, to ANDOVER SAVINGS BANK dated July 3, 1880, and duly recorded Book 60, Page 540, and duly assigned by said Bank to MOSES T. STEVENS dated June 2, 1887 and duly recorded Book 93 Page 300, purporting to secure a note for $7,000., payable in one year with semi interest annually, which mortgage appears to be undischarged, unassigned and unforeclosed on and by the record — or not properly or legally discharged of record:

That for more than twenty years after the expiration of the time limited for the full performance of said condition no payment has been made and no other act done in recognition of said mortgage; and

That the mortgagor named in said mortgage and those claiming under have been in uninterrupted possession of said land for more than twenty years after the expiration of time limited in said mortgage for the full performance of the condition thereof.

WHEREFORE your petitioner pray that after appropriate notices a decree may be entered on the foregoing allegations as authorized by Section 15, Chapter 240 of the General Laws as amended by Chapter 20, of the Acts of 1924.

s/ C. LINCOLN GILES
C. LINCOLN GILES

On this 10th day of August, 1959, personally appeared before me the within named C. LINCOLN GILES known to me to be the signer of the foregoing petition, and made oath, that the statements therein contained so far as made of his own knowledge are true and so far as made upon information and belief that he believes them to be true.

Before me, RICHARD C. SIMMERS
Notary Public.
My Commission expires May 10, 1963

Commonwealth of Massachusetts
Case No. 30112 Misc.
Essex, ss. LAND COURT.
(SEAL)

Upon the foregoing petition, it is ordered that the petitioner give notice to all persons interested in said petition to appear before the Land Court, at Lawrence, within and for our said County of Essex (where appearances and answers may be filed with G. Hudson Driver, Register of Deeds for the North Registry District of said Essex County, as Assistant Recorder of said Court) on the first Monday of October next, by causing a true and attested copy of said petition and this order to be published forthwith once a week, for three successive weeks, in the Andover Townsman, a newspaper published in Andover, in said county of Essex, the last publication to be fourteen days at least before said first Monday of October next; by serving each known respondent by registered mail with a like attested copy of said petition and order as soon as may be and in any event fourteen days at least before said first Monday of October next; that all respondents may then and there show cause why the prayer of said petition should not be granted.

By the Court.
Attest: THOMAS B. CUMMINGS
Deputy Recorder.
Dated August 27, 1959.
3-10-17

Commonwealth of Massachusetts
PROBATE COURT
Docket No. 193659

Essex, ss.

To all persons interested in the trust estate under the will of ANNA HESSION late of Andover in said County, deceased, for the benefit of ELIZABETH GILLEN, formerly ELIZABETH HESSION.

A petition has been presented to said Court, praying that the appointment of ANNA M. GREELEY of Andover in the County of Essex as trustee of said estate be approved.

If you desire to object thereto you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court at Salem before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the twenty-first day of September 1959, the return day of this citation.

Witness, JOHN V. PHELAN, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this thirty-first day of August 1959.

JOHN J. COSTELLO, Register.
3-10-17

Commonwealth of Massachusetts
LAND COURT
Case No. 30044 Misc.
(SEAL) In Equity

To IRENE M. SQUIRES and LEONELLE J. DUCHESNEAU of Lowell, in the County of Middlesex and said Commonwealth; C. Sherman of Andover, John H. Clark of North Andover, Robert Lebowitz Co., having an usual place of business in Lawrence, all in the County of Essex and said Commonwealth; and to all persons entitled to the benefit of the Soldiers' and Sailors' Civil Relief Act of 1940 as amended: Merrimack Co operative Bank, a duly existing corporation having an usual place of business said Lawrence, claiming to be the holder of a mortgage covering real property in said Andover, numbered 722 River Road but now numbered 344 River Road, given by IRENE M. SQUIRES to the plaintiff by instrument dated December 23, 1955 and recorded with Essex North District Registry of Deeds, Book 826, Page 270. There is excepted from said mortgage, however, by a partial release dated October 19, 1956 and recorded in said Registry of Deeds, Book 844, Page 308, lots A, C, and D as shown on Plan No. 3375, on record in said Registry, mortgage now is lot B on said plan, parcel containing 1.93 acres more or less, has filed with said Court a bill in equity for authority to foreclose said mortgage in the manner following: by entry and possession and exercise of power of sale.

If you are entitled to the benefits of the Soldiers' and Sailors' Civil Relief Act of 1940 as amended and you object to such foreclosure you or your attorney should file a written appearance and answer in said court at Boston on or before the twenty-eighth day of September 1959, or you may be forever barred from claiming that such foreclosure is invalid under said act.

Witness, JOHN E. FENTON, Esquire, Judge of said Court this twenty-first day of August 1959.

THOMAS B. CUMMINGS
Deputy Recorder.
Charles A. McCarthy, Esq.
301 Essex Street
Lawrence, Mass. 3

Commends Firemen For Skill At Fire

A congratulatory letter, commenting on the skill of the Fire Department, has been received by Chief Henry L. Hilton from William S. Yeager. The letter reads:

"My family joins me in expressing our sincerest appreciation for the outstanding job performed by the Andover fire department in extinguishing the fire in the basement of my home on the evening of August 14. Of course, the reputation for skill and efficiency of the Andover fire department is well established and perhaps this fine demonstration should not have been anything but expected. It seems to me, however, that the care with which the men operated, the respect they showed for property, their general overall concern for the human side of the affair and especially the leadership of Deputy Cole went far beyond anything that could be classified as duty. Many of my friends and neighbors who witnessed the event were also greatly impressed.

"This is our first experience with a fire. I suspect that only we who have gone through it can truly appreciate the fireman — others might be likely to take him too much for granted."

Dep't. Heads Met Tuesday

A meeting of department heads was held in town hall Tuesday morning to discuss mutual problems.

Attending were Town Manager Thomas E. Duff, Police Chief David L. Nicoll, Fire Chief Henry L. Hilton, Highway Supt. Stanley Chlebowski, Water Supt. Donald Bassett and Calvin Metcalf, office manager of the Department of Public Works. The group will meet once a month, Duff explained, and will include other members of the municipal family when specific problems come up.

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A town-wide "Get Acquainted" meeting will be held in the Legion quarters on Park st. tonight at 8, to introduce Dick Collins, new head football coach at the High School.

In addition to meeting Collins, all interested townspeople will have a chance to see sports movies, according to Donald D. Dunn, athletic director.

Occupancy Permits Given To Realty

The Realty Construction Co. has been given two permits of occupancy, allowing that many homes to be lived in, in the development at Lovejoy and Dascomb rds.

Town Manager Thomas E. Duff said the drainage work at the development, and along Lovejoy rd., should begin right after Labor Day. The firm has now received all official clearance to go ahead with the drain, at its own expense.

Personals...

Mrs. Leo Scott and her daughter Barbara of Niagara Falls, N. Y. were recent guests at the home of the former's aunt, Miss Louise Kelsey of Shawsheen rd.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Kreiger of High Plain rd. spent the past week with relatives in New York City.

Mrs. Beatrice Perreault and her son, Richard, of Manchester, N.H. were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Lewis of Lowell st.

Mrs. Adele Savage of Greenfield, visited with Mrs. Karl Haartz during the past weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. William Stewart of High Plain rd. visited with relatives in Merrimack, Saturday. Mr. Stewarts' Aunt and Uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Robert MacKillop of Woodstock, Ont. Canada, also were guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Roland Edgar and daughter, Sharon, of Gorham, N.H. were the weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Lumenello of Andover st., Ballardvale.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl H. Stevens have returned to their home on Lowell st., after spending several months with their daughter and her family in Oak Harbor, Wash. On their return trip they spent several weeks in Oxford Miss. with Lieut. and Mrs. R. C. Small and their family. While in Mississippi, Lieut. Small is going to attend the University located there where he will take up special studies.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Ward and their son have returned to their home on Beach cir. after spending the past two weeks at Alexandria Bay, N.Y. and Cotuit on the Cape.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Woodhead and son, Mark, of Cincinnati, Ohio, are visiting Mrs. Woodhead's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Wilson of Tewksbury st., Ballardvale.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles K. Barnet, 135 Main st. and Mr. and Mrs. William Barnet, 41 Kingston st., Lawrence, enjoyed last weekend in the White Mountains.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Brown and sons of Center st. have returned from a week's stay at York Beach, Me.

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GETTING READY FOR SCHOOL – Supplies are sorted, books inspected, and signs prepared at the Central School, in preparation for the opening day next Wednesday. Here, from left to right, Mrs. Barbara Smith, a kindergarten teacher, Mrs. P. LeRoy Wilson, office secretary, and Miss Catherine Barrett, principal, work on the materials needed opening day. Similar activities were taking place in all the town's schools this week. (Staff Photo)

Information Nearly Ready On New Sports Center

Although no official request for a meeting has yet been received, it has been learned this week that the promoters of a proposed sports center on No. Main st. have nearly completed their research into its potential usage.

At a meeting several weeks ago, the Selectmen asked the promoters to furnish some statistics as to the potential of the center. The question had been raised as to the possibility that, once built, the center might not continue in profitable operation and leave the town with buildings that might be diverted to other uses or remain empty.

Considerable early objection has been heard from some residents across No. Main st., but a letter from one group to the Selectmen merely asked that they be given a chance to attend the meeting when further details of the center are disclosed.

The original description of the sports center listed it as having three buildings – bowling, ice skating and swimming. The developers said a refreshment stand would be located at the building used for some 24 bowling alleys.

The entire project would cost about ¾ of a million dollars, they estimated. This figure included something over $80,000 for land fill and other site preparations. The area proposed for the center, the site of the former Golden farm, is low and is partially covered with water every year in the spring. It would be necessary, it was explained, to bring the land up to the level of the neighboring Shawsheen Plaza. A bridge over the river connecting the two developments also is contemplated.

The Selectmen had been requested to call a special town meeting to consider re-zoning the area for the center. But before any action was taken, Board members decided to await the survey now nearing completion.

If a meeting is called, a second request for re-zoning may be considered. Ronald Reader, representing the Massachusetts Mutual Life Insurance Co., has asked for re-zoning of a small area at the junction of Lowell st. and Route 93 for an office building. The area is now residential, but is adjacent to land zoned for shopping centers, motels and a gasoline station.

METHODIST MINISTERS TO MEET

Methodist ministers from all parts of New England will attend the Boston Area Pastors' Assembly at Geneva Pointcamp, Lake Winnepesaukee, N. H., this week. The Rev. Ralph A. Rosenblad, pastor of the Ballard Vale United Church, is attending.

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ACCEPTED FOR STUDY OF ELECTRIC DESIGN

Glen G. Grant of Osgood st. has been accepted to the two-year day Engineering Technician Program in Electric Design Technology at Franklin Technical Institute. Mr. Grant will be a candidate for the degree of Associate in Engineering with the Class of 1961. Glen is an alumnus of High Mowing School (1959) and is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Glen W. Grant.

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